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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Douglas T. Gjerde et al.

Application No.: 10/620,155

Filed: 7/14/2003

For: Low Dead Volume Extraction Column
Device

Examiner: Lore Janet Ramillano

Art Unit: 1797

Customer Number: 55130

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Commissioner:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed March 21, 2008 on the above-referenced
application, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin at page 5 of this paper.